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Mon 0415 WBCQ 7415 [time varies]
Mon 0530 WRMI 9955**
Mon 0930 WRMI 9955**
Tue 1030 WRMI 9955**
Wed 0730 WRMI 9955**

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** ALBANIA. Glenn, Today, before 1300 UT, I asked at Central Apparatus in studio site and Shijak r/station to modulate in max. I hope this brought some improvements in receiving Radio Tirana in Enid, despite the hum (Drita «iÁo, R. Tirana, June 12, via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Drita, Good. I missed monitoring the 1300 today, but will check for that. Does this apply to all the transmissions? (Glenn to Drita, via DXLD)

Not to all transmissions. I'm afraid of distortions because of overmodulation at studio site, if I order my staff to ask for the max M% all the time. It is different when I ask that by myself. When I asked max M% today at 1300 UT the technician at studio site said: yes, I will do what you want, honey, I will keep modulation at max, without going to the red zone that is M% over 100% (Drita, ibid.)

Dear Drita, The 2000 UT transmission today was much more intelligible than before, and the modulation did seem to be higher. I recorded it to listen to later when I have time. Thanks, (Glenn, WORLD OF RADIO 1363, ibid.)

** ARGENTINA. Encuentran a un hombre colgado de la antena de LRA24

Un joven de 21 aÒos fue encontrado colgando de la antena de LRA24 Radio Nacional RÌo Grande, ubicada en el descampado de Ricardo Rojas y PerÙn. El hombre, identificado como Mario Alberto Torrico Ampuero, fue encontrado en las primeras horas del domingo 27 y, seg'n se pudo saber, se habrÌa suicidado por un problema sentimental. La PolicÌa fue alertada por varios vecinos, los cuales encontraron al joven colgado de una s·bana a unos 10 metros de altura en el primer tramo de la antena. Una bicicleta fue hallada al pie del lugar, por lo que se presume que el hombre llegÛ en ella al lugar. No habrÌa cartas, notas, ni nada que hiciera predecir a los investigadores cu·les fueron los motivos de su determinaciÙn. Adem·s, la PolicÌa demorÛ por lo menos tres horas en identificarlo, ya que el joven no tenÌa documentaciÙn entre sus prendas de vestir. Fuente: <http://www.surenio.com.ar> (RÌo Grande - Tierra Del Fuego 28-05-07 (<http://www.amplitudmodulada.com.ar> via Arnaldo Slaen, June 11, condig list via DXLD)

Possibly he was protesting legislation to turn this station into a Malvinas service (gh, DXLD)

** AUSTRALIA. Hi, Received the following this evening. I don't know

anyone in Perth who would be interested but maybe there are some other West Aussies who would be. Regards, (Wayne Bastow, NSW, June 14, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST) Viz.:

----- Forwarded message -----

From: CRIENGLISH <crieng@crifm.com>
Date: Jun 14, 2007 7:02 PM
Subject: Re: Reception Report

Dear Wayne, Thanks for your reception reports. It's our great pleasure to hear from you after so long a time. We're sending the QSL cards to you. Hope you get them soon.

Here we're proud to inform you that starting on June 18th, 2006, 6 hours of CRI English programming will also be available in Perth. Broadcasting times will be from 12:00-18:00 local time on FM 104.9. More detailed information please log at
<http://english.cri.cn/4026/2007/06/07/44@235868.htm>

We know you are not in this area. If you have any friends or relatives in this area, would you please forward this email to them or tell them this information? W'd like to know what listeners think about it? Such as reception quality, program content etc.

Your feedback is needed and will be greatly appreciated. Thank you very much for your time and efforts, and we are looking forward to hearing from you soon. Best wishes, Yours sincerely, YingLian [collective name], English Service, China Radio International
<http://english.cri.cn/> (via Wayne Bastow, Wyoming, NSW, Australia, ibid.)

One wonders if they are buying the time from an existing commercial station, and if so which one and what else do they carry, or is it by chance a new transmitter for this purpose? Power and coverage area? A quick look at the WRTH 2007 does not show any 6+ WA stations at all on this frequency (Glenn, ibid.)

According to <http://www.usradiostations.com/fmwa.html> 104.9 is allocated to Queer FM, a Gay and Lesbian narrowcasting service in north Perth. An earlier listing of planned allocations by the now defunct Australian Broadcasting Authority gave the power as just 50 watts. The Queer FM website doesn't have any info about CRI. This could also, I suppose, be a different transmitter serving a different area. But the message from CRI says it started in 2006! Presumably this is a typo for 2007 (Andy Sennitt, ibid.)

Ergo, the Chicom are endorsing homosexuality!! (gh, DXLD)

CRI on air in Australia --- Hi Glenn, If this is old news then please ignore. <http://english.cri.cn/4026/2007/06/07/44@235868.htm>

English programming from 12-18 hours local Perth time. Mandarin programming following until 22 hours local. Station operated by FM104.9 Radio Network in Perth (Ian Baxter, Australia, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** BRAZIL. 5035, RADIO EDUCACAO RURAL. Coari, Brasil *0958-1010 Junio 10. Himno nacional y señal de apertura: " ... Voce esta es sintonia com a Radio Educacao Rural de Coari, que transmite a sua programacao en nas seguentes frequencias, en AM amplitud modulada na frequencia de 560 KHz, ondas tropicais ZYF272, 5035 KHz na faixa de 62 metros, Radio edicacop [?] Rural de Coari uma emisora catolica da Fundacao Santisimo redentor a servicio da evangelicao..." (Rafael Rodriguez R., Bogota DC - COLOMBIA, Winradio G303I, Sony ICF 2010, Antena de hilo largo 25-30 metros, Ant. tuner MFJ-956, June 12, config list via DXLD) [his Portuguese sic]

** BULGARIA. Re 7-069: Glenn The photographs of this site establish clearly that the partially completed 8 mast array is one of the very standard Russian design. I have made extensive impedance measurements (in the snow) and modeling of one of these, and they are a really elegant design. The basic design is fully described in the standard Russian textbook on MF antennas. This one not only doesn't have the 8th mast and has some towers lacking the skirts, it doesn't appear to have any of the open-wire feed system. These can be constructed for unidirectional or bidirectional operation, and can be constructed with about +/- 30 degrees of slewing, as was noted in your item. They are usable anywhere in the MF band. As nearly as I can tell no two are identical, but the masts all have a driven upper skirt and a parasitic lower skirt, and are matched entirely with open-wire quasi-coaxial short-circuited transmission line stub sections rather than discrete component networks. One row of towers is driven, the other is a parasitic "reflector." They appear to have been used primarily for nighttime skywave operation, often paired with a much simpler, usually omni, antenna for operation during daylight hours. These, together with the 1.5 km and 2.5 km long "small sunrise" and "large sunrise" traveling wave MF arrays, represent very substantial capital investment, the likes of which we will probably never see again. Nice thistles, too (Ben Dawson, WA, June 11, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

I analysed the pictures on the website
<http://www.predavatel.com/bg/6/kav.htm>
in order to have an idea of the target area in Arab countries.

This planned R Moscow relay site at Varna Kaliakra is much closer to the Mediterranean area - save of some 350 km - compared to other R

Moscow external Kamo-ARM or Grigoriopol-MDA relay sites.

SGP4+4/SV 4+4 antennas array - of 145 meters mast height - could be meant for Ankara, Cyprus, Lebanon, Jordan, Israel, and Egypt target in 130/160 degrees, and the two tower mast directional installation of 172 meters mast height - towards 190/220 deg target at Istanbul, Athens, Albania, Sicily, and Libya.

Frequencies to take into consideration some 20 years ago were: ex-MDA 999 and/or 1431 kHz, also former DWL Malta 1557 kHz channel was freed after USSR collapse. All long before of R Sawaa and R Free IRQ services did appear (Wolfgang B.schel, wwdx BC-DX June 17 via DXLD)

** BURKINA FASO. 5030.01, Radio Burkina, *0529-0545, June 15, Sign on with instrumental National Anthem. Opening French announcements at 0530. Local tribal music, French talk. Fair. Burkina in the clear tonight with Costa Rica 5030 off the air. Slight splatter from Cuba on 5025 (Brian Alexander, PA, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** CANADA [and non]. Any progress on 7335? Hi Raymond, Some more time has passed, and the last time I was awake at 0600, WHRI was still on 7335. Have you had any encouraging signs of progress toward resolving this? Can you suggest anything further listeners/users can do or I can do? How about putting a message about the problem on your transmissions like you did for many months previously? At least during the 06-11 UT period. That would increase the annoyance/interference factor to WHRI, and you are obviously within your rights to increase the voice content of your broadcasts. Regards, (Glenn Hauser to Raymond Pelletier, CHU, via DXLD)

Hi Glenn, I have no further news about interference on 7335. The wheels of inter-governmental negotiations move very slowly. The most effective solution is to have your listeners protest to the WHRI and to the FCC directly. The FCC may listen to the lobby group that offers the most protests. Thanks (Raymond Pelletier, Frequency and Time Institute for National Measurement Standards, National Research Council Canada, June 14, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** CANADA. CBC RADIO SUMMER SCHEDULE

Barenaked Ladiesí Steven Page, Dr. Brian Goldman and Ian Hanomansing highlight diverse summer programs starting June 25

PRESS RELEASE: http://www3.cbc.ca/sections/newsitem_redux.asp?ID=4586
WEBSITE: <http://www.cbc.ca/radiosummer>

Some highlights from the schedule:

Afghanada

Weekdays at 11:30 a.m. August 6-31 On CBC Radio One
[1430 UT + 1/2/3/4 hours]

Another chance to hear CBC's acclaimed dramatic series that probes the war in Afghanistan through the eyes of Canadian soldiers. Every day, Canadian soldiers on the ground confront the chaos and violence of life in Afghanistan. *Afghanada* offers a grunts-eye-view of the conflict, mirroring events currently taking place overseas.

Crossing Boundaries

Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. (in selected locations)
Sundays at 7:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m. AT and 9:00 p.m. NT On CBC Radio One

A 30 minute program featuring the best documentaries from public broadcasters around the world, including the Netherlands, Australia, New Zealand and Great Britain.

Global Perspectives

Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. [1230 UT + 1/2/3/4/ hours]
Friday 3:30 p.m. (in selected locations) On CBC Radio One
[1830 UT + 1/2/3/4 hours]
Global Perspectives is a theme-based program featuring documentaries from around the world. This year the theme is Belief.

Live by the Drum

Saturdays at 4:00 p.m. On CBC Radio One [1905 UT + 1/2/3/4 hours]

Wabanakwut Kinew examines how different cultures around the world express universal experiences like war, sex and death using 'beat-heavy music'. From the chants of a Siberian shaman, to the funk in Brazil's poorest favelas, all the way to foot-stomping Quebecois music, our whole world lives by the drum.

Simply Se·n

Saturdays 10:00 a.m. On CBC Radio One [1305 UT +1/2/3/4 hours]
One of our most popular hosts from previous summers is back. Se·n Cullen returns with more Saturday morning music and antics.

This I Believe

Weekdays at 11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. (except Monday evenings) On CBC Radio One [1405 UT +1/2/3/4 hours; 2305 UT + 1/2/3/4/ hours]
This series of daily essays is hosted by Preston Manning and features an astonishing array of Canadians sharing their personal beliefs.

Worldplay

Tuesdays at 11:00 p.m. On CBC Radio One [0205 UT + 1/2/3/4 hours]
Our annual International Festival of Original Radio Drama brings you

original works from New Zealand, Australia, Canada, The USA, Ireland and Britain.

The complete sked is available at the web link above. I just cut out snipped I thought would be of interest to DXLD readers (Ricky Leong, AB, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

CBC Radio 1 grid is precisely at:

<http://www.cbc.ca/radiosummer/pdf/radio-summer-schedule.pdf>

So some of our favorites are going off: And Sometimes Y, Canadia 2056, Terry O'Reilly and the Age of Persuasion, C'est la Vie. As usual, The Current cuts back to (less than) one hour, so a new strip of different shows appears weekdays at 1230++++ UT; but at 1430++++ UT M-F after Sounds Like Canada, it's just undefined ``Comedy/Drama`` (gh, DXLD)

** CANADA. ELECTION RESULTS BLACKOUT UPHELD

OTTAWA ñ Supreme Court of Canada has upheld the longstanding legal ban on reporting early vote results on federal election nights in regions of the country where the polls are still open. In a 5-4 decision on Thursday, the court ruled the ban can be justified under the Charter of Rights. Since 1938 federal election law has forbidden the reporting of early results from other areas of the country in places where people may not have had a chance yet to cast their ballots.

<http://www.thestar.com/News/article/192176>

And yet, RCI has routinely broken this law just about every federal election by broadcasting the results from the Maritimes before the polls close in Ontario and Quebec (Fred Waterer, Programming Matters, June ODXA Listening In via DXLD)

? Everybody knows you can't hear a SW station in the country it is coming from! (gh, DXLD)

** CANADA. New DTV-only stations in Canada?

The CRTC has announced that HDTV Networks, Inc. has filed an application for over-the-air HDTV stations in eight of Canada's largest cities: Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, and Halifax.

As is the usual procedure when an application is filed for a new station, a call has been issued for additional applications for over-the-air DTV stations across Canada (apparently not limited to these eight cities). Also, as is the usual procedure, the CRTC does not guarantee that **any** applications will be approved, even one or more proves technically acceptable. (I especially note that three new

stations were granted last week in each of the Alberta cities, Calgary & Edmonton. The CRTC may - or may not - find that these cities are not able to economically support additional stations, even if they can be authorized without interference)

The CRTC also indicated that in some of these cities (probably the two Ontario cities & Montreal?) new standalone DTV stations can only be authorized on the channels currently reserved for existing stations to transition to DTV (one wonders if this will spur more existing stations in these cities to get their DTV facilities authorized & built).

<http://www.crtc.gc.ca/archive/ENG/Notices/2007/pb2007-62.htm>
(Doug Smith, June 13, WTFDA via DXLD)

** CHAD. I guess I caught the Chadianne mysterious station again. Yesterday night observed around 7291v kHz from 1725 UT onwards. But carries no distortion audio anymore. Just an open carrier only. Station wandered down from 7316.7 to 7315.8 kHz in 1745-1750 UT slot today June 12. 73 wb (Wolfgang B,schel, harmonics yg, via WORLD OF RADIO 1363, DXLD)

Still there, a big dirty blob around 7290, June 17 at 0500 check. Could not hear any BBC Portuguese under it this time, so I wonder if they have moved (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Tentatively CHAD station moved around 7316.4 kHz around 1730 UT fade-in time. At 1745 UT around 7314 to 7315 kHz, June 17. Distorted carrier signal, wandering around 7311 to 7319. 73 wolfy (Wolfgang B,schel, Germany, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** CHINA. 7280, Voice of Strait, 1531, June 14, Chinese all talk, in the clear until co/channel VOV carrier appeared 1554, continued with western popsongs after TOH. Presumed, Aoki lists 5050 for 1200-1700 period. Can anyone confirm? (Martien Groot, Schoorl, Netherlands, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** CHINA [non]. Dear OM, I can receive Sound of Hope via Taiwan on new 7105 kHz at 2200-2300 (ex Min Hui Radio). Min Hui Radio in Chinese at 1400-1500 on 6030 kHz only. de S. Aoki (via S. Hasegawa, NDXC, WORLD OF RADIO 1363, DX LISTENING DIGEST) See also KOREA NORTH [non]

** CHINA [non]. New CRI FM relay in Perth: see AUSTRALIA

** CUBA. Captaciones DX por Yimber Gaviria, Cali, Colombia Rx. Sony 7600G, Antena AN61; Las horas son en UT (Tiempo Universal)

9820, Radio Habana Cuba, junio 13, 2240-2400*, seðal regular a pobre,

con noticia sobre la visita (otra vez) de Hugo Chávez a Cuba; los 5025 kHz estuvo inaudible, y la comparé con la emisión de Radio Habana Cuba en la emisión de las 2100 a 2300 UT en 9550 (señal regular), 11705 (señal buena), y 11800 (muy pobre) pero era diferente. Recibí un email del Profesor: Arnaldo Coro Antich y en la cual me informa:

Junio 13/07 1209 --- Saludos amigo de Colombia: Vi tu mensaje en la lista de SWL y te explico que la estación que escuchaste es Radio Habana Cuba, que desde el pasado dia 11 de Junio, Lunes, estamos transmitiendo en 9820 kHz en el horario que normalmente se transmite el programa nacional de la radio y TV cubanas "Mesa Redonda Informativa".

Este programa normalmente puede comenzar a las 6 PM (22 UT) o las 6 y 30 PM (2230 UT), lo cual se anuncia por la radio y la prensa escrita cubana con antelación.

El programa dura normalmente hasta las 0000 UT o sea 8 pm hora de verano de Cuba, aunque puede extenderse en algunos casos excepcionales.

La frecuencia 9820 kHz es con 100 kilowatts y la antena es dirigida hacia el Centro de América del Norte, cubriendo una buena parte de esa región desde las Montañas Rocosas hasta la Costa del Atlántico.

La antena es una cortina de dipolos 4 X 4 x 0.8, por lo cual la radiación hacia el acimut inverso, o sea unos 160 grados es mínima ya que detrás de los dipolos activos hay un reflector plano de grandes dimensiones que atenúa mucho la radiación en sentido inverso de la dirección hacia la que esta antena irradia.

Por cierto, en dirección a Colombia tenemos ahora de noche la 11705 y la 11875, así como 9600, las cuales utilizan antenas similares pero en el caso de 11705 y 11875 son transmisores de 250 kW de potencia, mientras que 9600 es un equipo de 100 kW.

Avísame cuando las escuchas y envíanos un reporte, para poder hacerte llegar una bonita QSL de Radio Habana Cuba. Atentamente Arnaldo (Arnie) Coro, editor del programa Divers Unlimited

Gracias Prof. Arnaldo y muchos 73, estaremos en Contacto (via Yimber Gaviria, Colombia, Noticias DX via DXLD)

RHC used 9820 for years, but left it sometime last year. I was expecting them to resume it (gh, DXLD)

** CUBA. 17350, Radio Rebelde at 1700 in Spanish with a male announcer

with ID and talk with music bridges // 17755. Fair Apr 9 (Michael Ford, Staffordshire, England, JRC NRD-515 or AR-7030 and 85 foot wire, Your Reports, June ODXA Listening In via DXLD)

Both these frequencies appear to be wrong, as RR is actually on 17555 and 17735. No, they don't leapfrog to make 17350, either, but instead that would be 17375. Unless of course, dentrocuban transmitters were on a totally mistaken frequency (gh, DXLD)

** CUBA [non]. Finally checking out a report that R. Rep'blica was no longer heard after 0300 on 6100: June 16 at 0309 something in Spanish was there, rather distorted, and jammed, so I suspect that was indeed R. Rep'blica, presumably via Rampisham UK now, until 0400* (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** ECUADOR. 4918.98, Radio Quito, LV de la Capital, 0045-0105, June 16, Spanish announcements, ads, jingles, talk. Spanish pop music. "La Voz de la Capital" ID. Irregular. Good signal strength but slight CODAR QRM & adjacent channel splatter. Audio a little distorted (Brian Alexander, PA, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** EGYPT. Updated summer A-07 schedule of Radio Cairo:

0700-1100	on 15115	ABZ	100 kW	/ 250 deg Arabic#	WeAf
1015-1215	on 15170	ABZ	250 kW	/ 090 deg Arabic	ME/AFG
1100-2300	on 12050	ABS	500 kW	/ 315 deg Arabic#	WeEu
1215-1330	on 17835	ABZ	500 kW	/ 090 deg English	SoAs
1230-1400	on 15810	ABS	250 kW	/ 106 deg Indonesian	SoEaAs
1300-1600	on 15365	ABS	250 kW	/ 241 deg Arabic	WeAf
1330-1530	on 15490	ABZ	100 kW	/ 070 deg Farsi	TJK
1430-1600	on 15195	ABS	250 kW	/ 061 deg Pashto	AFG
1500-1600	on 9990	ABS	250 kW	/ 325 deg Albanian	ALB
1500-1600	on 13815	ABZ	100 kW	/ 070 deg Uzbek	UZB
1530-1730	on 17810	ABZ	100 kW	/ 170 deg Swahili	CeEaAf
1600-1700	on 15155	ABZ	100 kW	/ 160 deg Afar	EaCeAf
1600-1800	on 6210	ABS	250 kW	/ 005 deg Turkish	TUR
1600-1800	on 11665	ABZ	500 kW	/ 090 deg Urdu	SoAs
1600-1800	on 11740	ABS	250 kW	/ 196 deg English	CeSoAf
1700-1730	on 15155	ABZ	100 kW	/ 160 deg Somali	EaCeAf
1730-1900	on 15155	ABZ	100 kW	/ 160 deg Amharic	EaCeAf
1800-1900	on 6225	ABS	250 kW	/ 020 deg Russian	WeRUS
1800-1900	on 9990	ABS	250 kW	/ 325 deg Italian	WeEu
1800-2100	on 9420	ABS	250 kW	/ 241 deg Hausa	WeAf
1900-0030	on 9825	ABZ	100 kW	/ 160 deg Arabic*	CeEaAf
1900-2000	on 9990	ABS	250 kW	/ 325 deg German	WeEu
1900-2030	on 15375	ABZ	100 kW	/ 250 deg English	WeAf
2000-2115	on 9990	ABS	250 kW	/ 325 deg French	WeEu
2000-2200	on 7210	ABZ	500 kW	/ 090 deg Arabic	AUS
2030-2230	on 9345	ABS	250 kW	/ 241 deg French	WeAf

2115-2245 on 9990 ABS 250 kW / 325 deg English WeEu
2215-2330 on 9360 ABZ 500 kW / 270 deg Portuguese SoAm
2300-0030 on 9460 ABZ 500 kW / 330 deg English NoAmEa
2300-0300 on 12050 ABS 250 kW / 325 deg Arabic# NoAm
2330-0045 on 9360 ABZ 500 kW / 270 deg Arabic SoAm
2330-0045 on 9735 ABS 250 kW / 241 deg Arabic SoAm
0030-0430 on 9460 ABZ 500 kW / 330 deg Arabic NoAmEa
0045-0200 on 6135 ABS 250 kW / 282 deg Spanish SoAm
0045-0200 on 7270 ABZ 500 kW / 330 deg Spanish NoAm
0045-0200 on 9360 ABZ 500 kW / 270 deg Spanish SoAm
0200-0330 on 7270 ABZ 500 kW / 330 deg English NoAm
General service * Voice of the Arabs
(DX Mix News, Bulgaria, June 12 via DXLD)

I wonder what changes have been made since the last one? Looks about the same to me (gh, DXLD)

** ETHIOPIA [non]. EXILED ETHIOPIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH TO LAUNCH RADIO BROADCAST ON 2 JULY

The exiled Holy Synod of the Ethiopian Orthodox Tewahedo Church has announced today that it will launch a weekly radio broadcast to Ethiopia starting on 2 July 2007. The radio will be broadcast every Monday from 7-8 pm, Addis Ababa time [1600-1700 gmt], on 15260 kHz or 19 meter band.

The radio programme will include bible teaching, church news, as well as reports and discussions on current social, political and other issues of national importance.

The Holy Synod is led by the legitimate patriarch of Ethiopia, Abune Merkorios, who went into exile when the Tigrean People Liberation Front (weyane, [TPLF, dominant party with in ruling coalition]) came to power in 1991.

While in exile, Abune Merkorios helped prevent Ethiopian churches in the Diaspora from being taken over by the weyane-installed patriarch, Aba Gebremedhin (formerly Aba Paulos) who is viewed by Ethiopians more as a political cadre of the regime than a religious leader.

Abune Merkorios has also helped build several churches, providing spiritual comfort to hundreds of thousands of Ethiopians who scattered around the world.

The radio broadcast is intended to expand its spiritual service the church providing to its followers be a voice for the millions of Ethiopians who are being brutalized by the tribal junta in power.

(Source: Ethiopian Review website in English 12 Jun 07 via BBC

Monitoring) (June 14th, 2007 - 7:47 UTC by Andy, Media Network blog via DXLD)

** GREECE. FWIW, I checked VOG webcast around 0255 UT Wednesday June 13, and it was in Greek, not English, as had been previously reported. Then the English Hellenes hour at 0200 UT Sunday June 17 was missing on webcast; instead programming in Greek (Glenn Hauser, DXLD)

GRECIA. Hoy 16 de junio me ha llamado mucho la atenciÛn no encontrar ningÛn servicio de la Voz de Grecia en 11645; no he podido captar el servicio en francÛs, ni el espaÛol ni el alemÛn. ¿Mala propagaciÛn o servicios cancelados? 73 (JosÈ Miguel Romero, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Was scheduled 05-10 UT on 11645; but haven't they been missing on Saturdays before? (gh, DXLD)

Radio Filia heard this Sunday morning at 0700 UT in French on 11645 (JM Aubier, France, June 17, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Saludos Jean: Hoy 17 junio he podido escuchar diferentes servicios de Radio Filia, a las 0520 el servicio en AlbanÛs, a las 0605 un servicio en inglÛs, a las 0755 fin de emisiÛn en francÛs y a las 0800 comienza el servicio en espaÛol; la seÛal es pobre y con mucho ruido. 73 (JosÈ Miguel Romero, Spain, ibid.)

** GUINEA. Hi all! My observations dating June 11th show the following. Radio Rurale is active again on 1385.9 kHz. Here is my detailed log. 1385.9, Radio Rurale, LabÈ, Guinea; vernacular/French talks mention CÛte d'Ivoire, Dakar, Guinea Bissau, Liberia, 2156 full OM ID "R. Rurale, LabÈ", some nice native music from the region, heard 2140-2201 UT with a fair to good signal, 11/06/07. Further listening at 2230 and 2255 during fair to good peaks with continuous vernacular talk. They sign/off at 2300 UT. Vy 73 (Hans Pammer, Loosdorf, Austria, RX: AOR 7030 Plus, ANT: 75-m Beverage at 225 , MWC via DXLD)

** INDONESIA. Dear OM, The V.O.I., Thai and Japanese program are extended for one hour (ex 30 minutes). Now sked on 9525 or 11785 kHz (June 6 on 9525, June 7-10 on 11785, June 11-12 on 9525)

1000-1100 Thai (ex 1000-1030)
1100-1200 Chinese (ex 1030-1130)
1200-1300 Japanese (ex 1130-1200)
1300-1400 Korean (ex 1200-1300)
1400-1500* Indonesian (ex 1300-1400*)

First noted on June 6 monitoring at 0900-1500* on 9525. de A. Ishida (via S. Hasegawa, NDXC, June 12, WORLD OF RADIO 1363, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Yes, I have just been listening to the Korean hour at 1300+ June 12, and wondering what had happened. Tuned in 9525 at 1301 to hear gamelan and ID in English, but then Korean ID and talk, still Korean at 1333 check. At 1400 clashing with CRI in Russian, but VOI was on top with Japanese ID, website; the rest of the hour may have been in Indonesian (Glenn Hauser, OK, WORLD OF RADIO 1363, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** INDONESIA. June 14 at 1815 was checking 4750 for possible signals of Uganda/Sudan and noted a station with phone-ins. As the format didn't well fit with the programming of those two religious stations I earlier had heard on the frequency, I kept on listening. The language appeared to be Bahasa Indonesia and at 1859 the familiar Jakarta interval-signal was played prior the news. So, RRI Makassar on the air at this strange time for some reason (Jari Savolainen, Kuusankoski, Finland, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** INTERNATIONAL VACUUM. Re 7-069: Glenn, In case you were not aware, NASA TV carries coverage of shuttle missions 24/7 beginning at the start of countdown and ending after the shuttle is defueled and towed to the hanger. All you need is a previously subscribed Dish Network receiver with its deactivated subscriber access card intact and a single satellite antenna. These antennas and receivers are sometimes free for the asking as folks upgrade to HD TV receivers and multi-satellite antennas. NASA TV is on Dish Network channel 213 in the clear. 73, (Joe Buch, DE, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Hmm, I wonder if there are any other such legitimately free channels available that way? Our local cable access channel carries NASA TV a lot, but tough luck if the launch is not during regular hours (gh, DXLD)

** IRELAND. Reflections Europe: see U S A [and non]

** ISRAEL. 10001 CW, 4XZ, Israeli Navy, 2252 June 16, Heard clearly IDing under WWV: "VVV DE 4XZ." Don't know whether this is intentional or a spur. Never noticed it before (David Hodgson, TN, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** ISRAEL. IBA extends grace period - wont shut down radio networks, for now at least --- Here is part of the article from:

<http://www.jpost.com/servlet/Satellite?cid=1181570248465&pagename=JPost%2FJPArticle%2FShowFull>

COMMITTEE EXTENDS GRACE PERIOD TO RESOLVE IBA BUDGET CRISIS
By GREER FAY CASHMAN

"The Israel Broadcasting Authority's management committee, facing

mounting public pressure over its threats to make sweeping cuts to foreign-language news broadcasts, on Monday asked the administration to sit down with union representatives and work out a viable emergency plan.

"The Management Committee, headed by attorney Moshe Gavish, extended the grace period to solve the IBA's severe budgetary crisis until Tuesday morning. It also made it clear to the administration that it would offer a proposal of its own if necessary.

"Everyone on the committee will have a much clearer conscience if union representatives and the IBA administration can work out an agreement as to which workers will be made redundant, rather than the management committee issuing a specific edict which might leave hundreds of IBA personnel unemployed.

The employees knew this and that accounts for the stormy protest they staged at the Management Committee's meeting on Monday.

At that meeting, the Management Committee was supposed to decide the fate of foreign news broadcasts and certain cultural broadcasts on Israel Radio and Israel Television, but failed to reach a final resolution.

"It didn't discuss the IBA English News on television and as far as the radio stations were concerned, it decided not to close down any radio station for the next few days, nor to do anything that would harm the interests and imperil the future of public broadcasting, which last year celebrated its 70th anniversary.

"Meanwhile, the administration has been told to give first priority to negotiations with union representatives so that whatever plan is agreed upon can be implemented as quickly as possible. The Management Committee was not considering weeks but days for that process to begin...

"...The IBA was no longer a monopoly, he said, competition was tough and income was down by 40 percent over the past three years..."
(via Doni Rosenzweig, June 12, dxldyg via DXLD)

** ISRAEL. IBA CONSIDERING MERGING ENGLISH-LANGUAGE TV, RADIO NEWS
<http://blogs.rnw.nl/medianetwork/?p=8200>

From Media Network Weblog... from Haaretz here are some quotes from part of the article:

"The Israel Broadcast Authority is considering merging English-language radio and television news in an attempt to cut costs, Haaretz has learned. If approved by the IBA management committee next

week, the change would go into effect immediately..."

"The potential merger, however, could present some logistical difficulties. Television studios for the English news are located in Jerusalem's Romema neighborhood, while radio broadcasts are in the Russian Compound in another part of the city. Employees, meanwhile, say they would support the idea if it ensured the future of English-language public radio and television..."

"...As part of the cutbacks, the entire English-language television news may also be moved to Channel One. As of now, only a short news bulletin is broadcast on Channel One, with the full program available on Channel 33. As part of cuts, IBA may temporarily shut down Channel 33 and broadcast English news on Channel One at a different time slot. Decisions regarding the Channel 33 move, as well as the possible merger, are expected on Tuesday." (via Doni Rosenzweig, dxldyg via DXLD)

** ISRAEL. Saludos cordiales Glenn, observaciones realizadas sobre las transmisiones de Kol Israel hoy 12 de junio.

Con motivo de la escucha realizada de Kol Israel a las 1952 en espaÑol por la frecuencia de 15615 el 11 de junio, surgió la duda de que fuera un servicio nuevo o una emisión accidental. Hoy 12 de junio he podido observar a las 1935 la emisión en francés por la frecuencia de 11590; sin embargo en 9400 estaban transmitiendo m'sica y en 9345 no había emisión, tampoco en 15615. A las 1945 comienza la emisión en espaÑol en 11590 y 9400, la frecuencia de 9345 seguía sin emisión y tampoco la de 15615; a las 1955 cuando estaban realizando el curso de hebreo, programa que se emite los martes y viernes, se corta en 11590, sigue en 9400 hasta las 1946, entonces cortan la emisión justo cuando estaban emitiendo una pieza musical. A las 1957 aparece una portadora sin señal en 15615 y a las 1958 se escucha el fragmento musical que estaban emitiendo por el servicio en espaÑol de 9400; a las 1959 comienza la presentación del servicio en hebreo. Hoy no se escucha ningún servicio en espaÑol por 15615. Cabe suponer que la escucha del día anterior fue accidental. Por otra parte parece prolongarse la ausencia del servicio en espaÑol y en otros idiomas por la frecuencia de 9345 y sigue repitiéndose el cierre prematuro de las transmisiones con casi cinco minutos de adelanto. 73 (José Miguel Romero, Burjasot (Valencia), España, WORLD OF RADIO 1363, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Re 7-069: There are anomalies in the current sched shown on their web site - maybe 15615 is intended to carry Spanish to LA, or just turned on early as Glenn suggests? And at 1000-1015 they list Ladino and French on the same frequencies at the same time. Ladino is actually heard at 0945-1000 (following English) and French at 1000-1015. And at

1015, 13855 goes off , while 15760 goes straight into Hebrew (Noel R. Green, (NW England), June15, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** JAPAN. New service for KOREA NORTH: see just below

** KOREA NORTH [non]. Radio Furusato no Kaze == Wind of Hometown

Dear OM, Japan to launch radio program for abductees in N. Korea in July. The government will launch a shortwave radio program as early as on July 9 aimed at Japanese abductees possibly surviving in North Korea, Kyoko Nakayama, the prime minister's adviser on the abduction issue, said Saturday. The daily program will carry information on Japan's efforts to save the abductees and on the victims' hometowns, Nakayama told a meeting on the abduction issue in Kainan, Wakayama Prefecture. de Kyodo News June 16.

<http://home.kyodo.co.jp/modules/fstStory/index.php?storyid=320838>

A schedule & frequency are unknown (S. Hasegawa, NDXC, June 17, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** KOREA NORTH [non]. 9930, Open Radio for North Korea (ORNK) via Hawaii (KWHR), 1104-1158*, June 12, in Korean, announcers with background music (mostly various classical music), but also played eclectic selections of music (Korean ballads, classical music and segment of soul music ["Soul Man", Otis Redding with "Satisfaction", etc.]), 1158 played "Pomp and Circumstance", English ID that KWHR was going off 9930. Fair-good, no jamming noted. Thanks to DXLD 7-066 (Ron Howard, Monterey, CA, EtUn E5, dxldyg via WORLD OF RADIO 1363, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

OPEN RADIO FOR NORTH KOREA via KWHR, 9930. On June 15 at 1100 UT opening a woman spoke, with occasional brief bits of a Mozart Horn Concerto and waltz from Jacques Offenbach's *La Vie Parisienne*. At 1130 UT news headlines in English, each translated into Korean by a man, followed by news in detail in English, again translated into Korean. Very different program on 6/14 when it was all Korean, except music which included Otis Redding and Stevie Wonder. Both days ended with Pomp and Circumstance at 1158 UT. ORNK website <http://www.nkradio.com> lists only this broadcast, no longer showing the 1400 UT broadcast via Taiwan on 7390 kHz (Wendel Craighead, KS, DXplorer June 15 via BC-DX via DXLD)

CLANDESTINE - 9935 [sic], Open Radio for North Korea via KWHR, 1145-1200, June 16, Korean and English, interview, talks, very clear identification at 1159 UTC, s/off 24232 (Arnaldo Slaen Argentina, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Hola Arnaldo - assume you heard them on 9930, right? (Ron Howard, ibid.)

And how much English??? See Craighead, above. This was supposed to be M-F only, but June 16 was Sat. Let's look at the WHR online schedule for this transmitter at <http://www.whr.org/index.cfm?fa=schedule>

It refers to ORNK merely as ``Korean Cultural Programming`` and M-F only with something else Sat during the 1130 semihour, Love of God, with Randy Brodhagen. However, the sked cannot be totally accurate, as in the very next line after Korean Cultural Programming, still shows at 1105 weekdays, what K.C.P. must have replaced, Music from Lesea, and at 1130 weekdays, Live from Studio B, which are both just ubiquitous fill programs for unsold time.

Looking further into this schedule, there is some more interesting new clandestine(?) programming shown:

Wed 1200-1300 on 12130, Hoa-Mai Radio, with Nguyen Cong-Bang
Tue & Thu 1200-1300 on 12130, Hmong World Christian Radio
with Pastor Gia Tou Lee
Fri 1200-1300 on 12130, Radio Hmong Radio with Kou D. Her
These Hmong programs are separate from Hmong Lao Radio on WHRI
Mon - Fri 1400-1700, back on 9930, Sound of Hope

Here are the same entries as displayed with UT and Eastern time; note that the days of week next to UT time do not always match those following Eastern time!:

1100 Mo-Fr 0700 AM - 0800 AM Monday - Friday Korean Cultural Programming - 9.930 Mhz ANGEL 3
1105 Mo-Fr 0705 AM - 0730 AM Monday - Friday Music Lesea Productions 9.930 Mhz ANGEL 3
1130 Mo-Fr 0730 AM - 0800 AM Monday - Friday Live From Studio B Lesea Productions 9.930 Mhz ANGEL 3
1130 Sa 0730 AM - 0800 AM Saturday Love of God Randy Brodhagen 9.930 Mhz ANGEL 3

1200 We 0800 AM - 0900 AM Monday - Friday Hoa-Mai Radio Nguyen Cong-Bang 12.130 Mhz ANGEL 3
1200 Tu. Th 0800 AM - 0900 AM Monday - Friday Hmong World Christian Radio Pastor Gia Tou Lee 12.130 Mhz ANGEL 3
1200 Mo 0800 AM - 0900 AM Monday - Friday Radio Hmong Radio Kou D. Her 12.130 Mhz ANGEL 3
1400 Mo-Fr 1000 AM - 1100 AM Monday - Friday Sound of Hope - 9.930 Mhz ANGEL 3
1600 Mo-Fr 1200 PM - 0100 AM Monday - Friday Sound of Hope - 9.930 Mhz ANGEL 3

(Glenn Hauser, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Per http://www.nkradio.com/eng/sub.html?s=2_2 they are on Monday - Friday, 8 PM - 9 PM [Pyongyang Standard Time] [11 UT - 12 UT] on 9930. The program I heard on June 12 [Tue.] is available for listening at <http://www.nkradio.com/eng/sub.html?s=4>

ORNK started their programs via 9930 (KWHR) on June 11, so am not sure about their providing audio for their Sat. and Sun. [June 9 & 10] programs (Ron Howard, Monterey, CA, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** KOREA NORTH. D.P.R., 15245.20, Voice of Korea in French at 1635-1645 UT, hetting BBC Russian Woofferton on even co-channel. June 17 (Wolfgang B, schel, Germany, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** KOREA SOUTH. REPUBLIC of [South] KOREA: When compared to the North, with whom South Korea is still technically at war, South Korea is 48 million people live on the cutting edge of modern life. South Korea is a major world power in the fields of industrial equipment, transportation, and high-tech electronics. The nation has one of the worlds most advanced wireless communications networks, and is a leader in new fields such as mobile television and internet broadcasting. South Korea has a large number of media outlets, and the press are generally free to report on issues as they see fit. Radio Korea International (or KBS World Radio) is the external arm of the Korea Broadcasting System.

KBS World Radio: <http://rki.kbs.co.kr/> or <http://world.kbs.co.kr/> From either URL given above you can select from a variety of languages for radio or TV – we'll go with English in the radio menu. The English-language page predominantly features black text on a white background, with very few media offerings immediately available. On the top of the page are several links, including Global TV, Explore KBS, E-Mail, Around the Town, and the ubiquitous About Us.

The body of the webpage has been divided into two columns, with a few tidbits (including a Reception Report link) tacked on in a brief third column. The first column begins with news, subdivided into several headings (as an aside, why don't any broadcasters' websites start with culture?). Below this are a handful of features, linking to well-written articles and nice photos, but I found no audio. In the right column are two features on the US-South Korea free trade talks, several chatty Around the Town features, and a few odds and ends (ads, exchange rates, etc.). While a few items did include audio and/or video, I could not get it to work on my machine – Windows Media content resulted in an iAccess Denied message, while other content was in an unidentified, non-standard format (not Windows, Real, Quicktime, or MP3). Even the Images of Korea link was only viewable in

PDF format ñ thereis no reason it should be so difficult to view images (Paul E. Guise, Click, June 0DXA Listening In via DXLD)

** LAOS [non]. [Re 7-067, is Hmong Lao Radio involved, or not?]

PAO VANG ARRESTED IN CALIFORNIA --- AUTHORITIES:
PAO MASTERMIND IN VIOLENT PLOT TO OVERTHROW LAOS GOVERNMENT
UPDATED: 11:48 am CDT June 6, 2007

MADISON, Wis. -- Opponents to naming Madison's newest elementary school in honor of a controversial Hmong general have a new argument in their ongoing battle to change the school's name: Vang Pao is now under arrest and charged with plotting a violent overthrow of Laos' communist government, according to Forbes Magazine.

VIDEO: Watch The Report

According to The Associated Press, Vang Pao was the mastermind behind the plot. Eight others were also arrested and charged; authorities said that they believe there will be more arrests. Vang Pao is in federal custody after a raid near Fresno, Calif., involving 200 agents.

Federal prosecutors said that Pao, and a former lieutenant colonel with the California National Guard were raising money to recruit a small army, as well as stockpiling weapons, including anti-tank missiles and grenade launchers. Prosecutors said they didn't know the arms dealer was an ATF agent. . .

<http://www.channel3000.com/news/13442082/detail.html>

(WISC via DXLD)

Much more detailed report, still not mentioning HLR:

<http://www.startribune.com/484/story/1225057.html>

[and there have been several follow-up stories; search the site on vang, such as: <http://www.startribune.com/462/story/1230389.html> - gh]

TUESDAY: VANG PAO CHARGED IN LAOS PLOT

By Curt Brown, Star Tribune

Last update: June 05, 2007 ñ 10:46 PM

The once revered leader of Minnesota's Hmong and eight others were arrested in an alleged plot to overthrow the Laos government.

In an indictment sure to jolt Minnesota's large Hmong population, federal authorities in California charged Gen. Vang Pao and eight others Monday with plotting to overthrow the Communist government in their former homeland of Laos.

"We are looking at conspiracy to murder thousands and thousands of people at one time," Assistant U.S. Attorney Bob Twiss said in court.

Vang Pao led Hmong soldiers who fought alongside the CIA and U.S. troops during the Vietnam War, paving the way for thousands of Hmong to end up in Minnesota. Once revered, Vang Pao has had his popularity and credibility decline in recent years. Two years ago, the Minnesota attorney general's office forced the Vang Pao Foundation to close and pay restitution after violating state nonprofit laws.

Vang Pao splits his time between homes in Minnesota and Orange County, Calif. He was scheduled to be in St. Paul for next month's Hmong soccer tournament. He is now in custody after being arrested at his home in Westminster, Calif., on Monday morning.

"Some people have positive feelings about the general, some don't like him ... but this will come as a shock," said Ilean Her, director of the Council on Asian-Pacific Minnesotans.

"I have to see some evidence," she said. "He's at the trail end of his popularity and I would say these charges would have had more credibility 10 years ago when he had much more influence, at least here in Minnesota."

Xang Vang -- who drives the general when he comes to Minnesota, including a trip for a veterans' celebration earlier this year -- said that despite the recent controversies with his foundation, Vang Pao remains highly respected in the local Hmong community.

"He's like George Washington to the American citizens," said Vang, who runs the Hmong American Mutual Assistance Association. "Without him, the Hmong would all be dead in Laos."

Vang Pao has long been unwavering in his promise to Hmong refugees that he would help them overthrow the Communist government of Laos so that they could one day return to their homeland.

He has reportedly raised millions of dollars in the past 25 years, often from impoverished Hmong families who make monthly contributions to a secretive organization called Neo Hom.

Her said the indictment will likely spark fear in the local Hmong community, which is considered the largest urban concentration of Hmong in the country. "Resistance fighting can now be labeled as terrorism by U.S. authorities," Her said. "The local community will want to see the evidence."

Six-month investigation

The nine men indicted, including Harrison Ulrich Jack, a 1968 graduate of West Point, allegedly conspired to obtain hundreds of AK-47s, Stinger missiles, anti-tank missiles, mines, rockets and C-4 explosive, as well as smoke grenades, to overthrow the Laotian government.

All the suspects are in custody and appeared before a federal magistrate judge in U.S. District Court in Placerville, Calif., on Monday afternoon to hear the charges read against them.

The charges stem from a six-month undercover investigation, dubbed "Operation Tarnished Eagle," that included a series of meetings with undercover federal agents during which the plotters allegedly discussed moving weapons into safe houses in Thailand and Laos.

Vang Pao is accused with the eight others of violating the U.S. neutrality act by plotting on American soil to invade a foreign country.

Jack, a former U.S. infantry officer who retired in 1977 as a lieutenant colonel in the California National Guard, allegedly approached defense contractors seeking munitions for the plot, according to a criminal complaint.

Some of the suspects allegedly sought out former Army Special Forces and Navy Seal veterans to serve as mercenaries.

125 AK-47s and 20,000 rounds

The complaint charges that since January the suspects have inspected a wide variety of weapons, including AK-47s, Stinger missiles and Claymore mines.

The complaint said the group purchased "an initial installment of 125 AK-47 machine guns, 20,000 rounds of ammunition, and crates of smoke grenades for a purchase price of \$100,000, to be delivered in Bangkok, Thailand, on June 12, 2007."

A \$50,000 payment was to be made June 11, with the balance to be handed over the next day, when the weapons were to be received, the complaint said. A third payment of \$50,000 was to cover the purchase of some Stinger missiles, the government contends.

Jack allegedly met and spoke with an undercover federal agent several times to discuss weapons procurement, and had budgeted \$9.8 million for the desired munitions. The money was to come from "contributions from community leaders through the clan leadership," the complaint

says.

Various discussions of the plot allegedly took place at Sacramento-area bars, restaurants and hotels, and the parking lot of a Kmart near Hwy. 99 in Stockton.

Reducing targets 'to rubble'

In May, the complaint said, the suspects had "intelligence operatives" in place in the capital city of Vientiane, Laos, "conducting surveillance of military and government facilities in downtown Vientiane."

The suspects also "issued an operations plan to a contractor to conduct a military strike in downtown Vientiane," the complaint said, "against specifically identified military and civilian government personnel and buildings."

It said the suspects told their mercenary force "to reduce [the targets] to rubble, and make them look like the results of the attack upon the World Trade Center in New York on Sept. 11, 2001."

PDF: Complaints against Vang Pao
[90 pages, double-spaced typed, tilted, photocopied]
http://media.startribune.com/smedia/2007/06/04/20/jackcomplaint.source.prod_affiliate.2.pdf

Staff writers Howie Padilla, Paul McEnroe and the Sacramento Bee contributed to this report (via WORLD OF RADIO 1363, DXLD)

Following the arrest of Vang Pao, I made a point of checking Hmong Lao Radio, Sat June 16 at 1301 via WHRI 11785. Opening news segment mentioned FBI, California, homosex, Fresno, Sacramento, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Warren Russelman(?), US Attorney ñ Scott, etc., etc. So this is no doubt still the number one story for HLR (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST) see also KOREA NORTH [non]

** LIBERIA [non]. Today Sunday June 17 I heard an announcement on Star Radio, Liberia, that the station would be temporary closed effective Friday June 15 2007 because the station would be relocating its offices and studios from the Old CID Road in Mamba Point to 12 Broad Street, opposite Ruby Bar and Restaurant, Snapper Hill in Monrovia. Listeners were assured that the station would resume broadcasting in the shortest time possible and that tariffs (advertising rates) would remain the same. I assume todays broadcast on 9525 kHz 0700-0800 UTC (via Ascension) was a repeat broadcast. Best 73s (Stig Hartvig Nielsen, Denmark, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Andy Sennitt adds: The same information is posted on the station's website, which is also not being updated because of the move. Meanwhile, the website also reports that STAR Radio has identified three more community radio stations that will be given USAID support. STAR Radio is working in collaboration with Development Alternative Incorporated (DAI), an implementing partner of USAID which is building the capacity of community radio stations across Liberia.

The stations are Smile FM, Radio Harper and Radio Kintoma, based in Zwedru, Harper, and Voinjama, respectively. Work with these new stations will include training opportunities for the journalists, management and technicians. Modern broadcast equipment will also be installed to make the stations more responsive to the broadcast needs of the citizens (Media Network blog via DXLD)

** MEXICO. Re VENEZUELA below, QSL via Fedex: I had a similar experience in receiving a 'package' from La Voz de Veracruz "La Jorocha" 9545, from the State of Veracruz, MEXICO. The entire large white envelope had been put into a Purolator Envelope and delivered right to my door. Besides, the verification letter, QSL Card, schedule and numerous Postcards and tourist information brochures, two radio pennants were also enclosed. I asked the delivery person on the cost, and he estimated that it was well over forty dollars US (back in 1991). Now that was a reply from a station which really went out of their way to reply to their listener's request! I wrote back to the station and thanked them (Edward Kusalik, AB, ODXA yg via DXLD)

** MEXICO. M...XICO: RADIO UNAM CUMPLE 70 AOS DE DAR CABIDA A LA IMAGINACI"N Y LA CREATIVIDAD

El rating no nos preocupa, sino pensar y hacer críticas del devenir cultural, dice la locutora Margarita Castillo

Desde hace siete dÈcadas, Radio Universidad Nacional AutÛnoma de MÈxico (UNAM) ha sido un espacio propicio para la imaginaciÛn, los sueÛos y la creatividad. Su objetivo es poner al alcance de la comunidad universitaria y de la poblaciÛn en general los beneficios del pensamiento universal, el quehacer acadÈmico y las manifestaciones culturales mediante sus emisiones. . . fuente:
<http://www.jornada.unam.mx/2007/06/14/index.php?section=cultura&article=a07n1cul>
-- (via Gustavo Fernando Dur.n, condig list via DXLD)

** NETHERLANDS [and non]. Reason RNW refuses to acknowledge French Guiana relay?

Anyone know why R. Nederland refuses to acknowledge the French Guiana relay? Heard RNW April 20, 2007 0201 UTC 9405 DRM from French Guiana. On June 13, 2007 received QSL indicating transmission was from

Madagascar. If true, quite fantastic for DRM! Also, the QSL card doesn't have French Guiana listed as a Site. Andy? 73, (Kraig, KG4LAC, Krist, June 14, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

I think this was simply an error by someone at RNW. Mistakes do happen. I don't like the phrase "refuses to acknowledge" as a human error is not the same thing as someone telling you that they cannot, or will not, acknowledge it. If you re-submit the details I will try to get you a corrected QSL. You can use the media @ rnw.nl address (Andy Sennitt, RNW, ibid.)

Andy, Thanks for your reply. At times, black words on white background do not properly convey our thoughts. No harm was intended. I wrote "refuses to acknowledge" because of the fact French Guiana is not even listed as one of the possible Sites on the QSL card. I thought, perhaps, this DRM transmission was via a broker and not directly controlled by RNW. Or, similar to CRI, a disconnect between the frequency planners and the people answering the letters. I have read, in the past, your posts concerning people only writing for QSL cards. I normally send program comments concerning the broadcast. These comments are both pro and con as appropriate. I also send a question if I have a question concerning the broadcast. Rarely, do I receive a reply to my comments or questions. If broadcasters, seemingly, ignore comments and questions why should listeners bother to comment or send questions? 73, (Kraig W. Krist, VA, ibid.)

Hi Kraig, The DRM transmission via TDF is a temporary arrangement till the end of the year as Bonaire is currently being upgraded. When the work at Bonaire is finished, the DRM transmission will revert to Bonaire.

Yes, of course in theory it would be nice to answer every letter. But we simply don't have the staff to do it. Every E-mail and letter are read by whoever is producing Echoes, our feedback programme. I know that listener comments are taken seriously because I often hear colleagues discussing them, and some also find their way on to our Intranet.

It's true that we can no longer sustain the kind of one-to-one relationship with listeners that used to be possible. But times have changed, not only at RNW but at other stations too. Budgets are smaller, and Heads of Department prefer to invest the money in producing programmes rather than employing secretarial staff to answer individual letters.

There is, however, always room for improvement in the way we handle things, and I will discuss your comments with colleagues when I return from my vacation next week (Andy Sennitt, ibid.)

Andy, Thanks for the information on the French Guiana relay. Please do not think I'm only writing about RNW when I wrote about comments and questions. I have had the same experience from many stations. Write questions and comments only to have them disappear into the ether (ionosphere HI!). Recently I wrote a station with a question about something I heard on their broadcast. After several weeks I received a QSL card in the postal mail. This was a surprise since 1. I did not ask for a QSL and 2. I really did not provide enough details to earn the QSL. I guess this station is simply an automatic verifier. Shame. 73, (Kraig Krist, *ibid.*)

Apparently just what Andy has already outlined: The remaining staff has other things to do than "checking reception reports". And I think it can only be counterproductive to state that this is a "shame", since the obvious alternative is to stop sending out QSL cards altogether. I suspect that much more stations would have chosen to do so already if these reception reports could not be counted as incoming listeners mail, a figure which can be useful to justify the whole service.

Btw, recently Glenn had a BDXC-UK (if I recall correct) item about a new generation of DXers that could arise with DRM. It already exists here in Germany. They do not care about QSL cards. In fact they do not care about the traditional shortwave broadcasters at all, obvious from statements like Norkring should better put NRK P3 on air than the boring babbering from the BBC. Frankly, I don't think that this new generation of technology freaks is any hope for international broadcasting as we know it (Kai Ludwig, Germany, *ibid.*)

Kai, You misunderstood what I wrote. It is a shame some broadcasters automatically QSL. Especially when one didn't request or provide a proper reception report. 73, (Kraig Krist, *ibid.*)

** NETHERLANDS [non]. Frequency change of R. Netherlands in Spanish from June 12
0000-0157 NF 9450 BON 250 kW / 170 deg to SoAm South, ex 15315
\\ 6165 SIN 250 kW / 255 deg to SoAm North
(DX Mix News, Bulgaria, June 12 via DXLD) As already in DXLD

** NEW ZEALAND [and non]. There is now a collision on 13730 between RNZI and ±1, opposite worldsides, but capable of much overlap. RNZI atop here, but can hear Austria underneath, around 0445 chex June 13 and 16. The overlap is for only one hour at 0400-0500, but could have been avoided (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** NIGERIA. 9690, V. of Nigeria, 1256-1313, June 12, English. Afro music and YL until ID at 1300. News until 1305 then African Safari

music program. Weak but clear (Scott R. Barbour, Jr., Intervale, NH, R8, R75, MLB-1, 200' Beverages, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** NIGERIA. Regarding the schedule given by Dave Kenny in DXLD 7-067, my remarks in [brackets]

0500-0700 English (15120?) [Yes, severe QRM by Chinese language program]
0700-0800 French (15120?) [Yes, 15120 seems weaker to me in the morning than it used to be, antenna change?]
0800-0900 Hausa 9690
0900-1000 Fulfulde 9690
1000-1500 English 9690
1500-1530 Swahili 9690 [observed on 11770 on June 12, very weak, so probably beamed quite straight to the East. Only there for this 30 min, also other days I heard 9690 sign-off at 1457]
1530-1600 Yoruba 9690
1600-1630 Igbo 9690
1630-1700 Arabic 15120 [much weaker than following English, probably north-east beam instead of north as it used to be]
1700-2100 English 15120
2100-2200 French 7255
2200-2300 Hausa 7255 (Thorsten Hallmann, Münster, Germany, <http://www.africalist.de.ms> June 13, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** OKLAHOMA [and non]. Rumored new format of WKY 930 OKC must be imminent. They've started stunting with a countdown by a robotic voice, interjecting 'clever' OK remarks, such as about Barry Switzer, some stupidballgame figure, who is ``still the king''. UT June 15 at 0259 tuning around during storm-induced AC power outage, found the countdown at T minus 3 days, 11 hours, 1 minute, 2 seconds. Next mark was 6 seconds less. At 0300 legal ID in English and then briefly in Spanish mentioning 105.3, which is the station it has been simulcasting for the last few months. I calculate that the countdown should end: June 18 at 1400 UT, i.e. Monday 9 am local (Glenn Hauser, Enid, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

I heard this when then local to me WVVE-FM 102.3 Stonington, CT was changing formats from oldies to rock. It went EXACTLY as you described is going on at WKY 930 (Paul B. Walker, Jr., SC, NRC-AM via DXLD)

A few years ago, I was visiting Dave in Virginia who posts on this list. One of the FM's in Lynchburg was changing format. They played It's Only Rock and Roll by the Rolling Stones for approximately 15 hours. During that time it was reported that people called 911 to find out what was wrong at the station and why no one answered when they called. The next day the station went country and is today (Larry Stoler, ibid.)

When I called WVVE-FM their answering machine said "Thanks for calling WVVE 102.3, please leave a message after the tone. Oh, and don't call the police, we are OK" (PAUL WALKER, *ibid.*)

COUNTDOWN NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT, POLICE SAY
Staff reports, Published: June 14, 2007 11:56 pm
http://www.enidnews.com/localnews/local_story_165235600.html

Oklahoma can relax. The world is not coming to an end, it is just changing formats.

Enid Police Department has received several calls about a countdown currently being broadcast on Oklahoma City radio station WKY AM 930, which can be heard across the state.

They're inquiring as to what is going on, *Sgt. Eric Holtzclaw, Enid-Garfield County 911 Communications Center administrator, said* of callers who have contacted the police department, a couple through the 911 lines.

What is going on, according to Dax Davis, spokesman for Citadel Broadcasting, which owns WKY, is a format change for the station, which had been broadcasting in Spanish until the countdown, which is now in English, began.

Davis said the countdown will continue until the new format is revealed at 9 a.m. Monday morning.

Currently, WKY is broadcasting the words T-minus, followed by the number of days, hours, minutes and seconds until the new format release. Davis said interspersed in the countdown are trivial comments, such as *How many licks does it take to get to the center of a Tootsie Pop?*

However, Holtzclaw said, it is some of those comments along with the countdown that had some people in the Enid area concerned. He said the department checked into the station and there is no problem, it is just a format change and no violation has occurred.

Davis said Citadel has received numerous phone calls inquiring about the countdown, with curiosity from listeners ranging from a takeover to something wrong with their stereos.

Certainly we wouldn't have done it if we thought it would cause public concern, he said.

Citadel is the second owner of WKY, which is the oldest radio station

in the state, Davis said (Enid Eagle via DXLD)

** OKLAHOMA [and non]. The LPTV on ch 11 in OKC must have changed its programming source now. A quarter-page display ad on page 6 of the June 9 Latino American contains this text:

Vea en LAT TVtm / Noticias, Programas Infantiles, Juveniles, Novelas, Miniseries, Pelìculas / Y los MiÈrcoles a las 9 pm/8c vea Raza de Campeones / Historias reales de Èxito de los latinos en los Estados Unidos / Canal 11 seÒal libre / El alma del p'blico Latino / <http://www.lattv.com>

That website lists only 5 cities with O&O stations: Houston, San Antonio, Dallas, Austin, Phoenix. But if you click on mercados you get a map which will enlarge portions of it, showing linx to affiliates, LP outlets in other cities including KUOK channel 11 in Norman, axually, less than 2 kW ERP (Glenn Hauser, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** OKLAHOMA. Altho the KLGB-LP 94.3 antenna tower still remains broken in twain on the premises from the June 1 non-tornado, as recently pixured here, the Enid gospel-huxter is again being heard, first noticed June 13 or so. The dinky little single-element vertical antenna is not to be seen on the wreckage, so they have apparently resumed transmitting from some other location. Did they just do it, or quickly get an STA from the FCC? Nothing on the FCC FM Query site for KLGB about an STA. Heard a commercial for Henniger-Allen Funeral Home. Oops! Pretend it is not a commercial (Glenn Hauser, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** PALAU. 9965, T8BZ, 1035-1102, June 16, Mandarin. OM with long talk, YL at 1057 followed by brief ballad. OM and YL over music until fanfare/ID at ToH. This is the exact same format I've logged at this time/frequency over the past few years. Weak but clear (Scott R. Barbour, Jr., Intervale, NH, R8, R75, MLB-1, 200' Beverages, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** PERU. 4655, RADIO CENTINELA DEL NORTE. Cortegana. 0020-0050 Junio 10. Al dar la hora: "...7 de la noche con 23 minutos en los estudios de Centinela del Norte; vamos hasta las 9 de la noche en Centinela tu radio..." Luego en un servicio de mensajes enviaron saludos a las colegas de la emisora "hermana" en Celendìn Frecuencia VH (4486 KHz) ya que el dueÒo propietario es el mismo. Aunque no mencionaron el nombre, debe tratarse del Sr. Fernando V·squez Castro.

4940, RADIO SAN ANTONIO. Villa Atalaya, Per'. 0120-0201* Junio 09. Transmision de la Misa. "...maÒana domingo continuamos con el 7mo dia de la novena a San Antonio..." A las 0133 con ID: "...Radio San Antonio, una radio catÛlica y misionera en los 95.50 FM y en la onda

corta 49-40; Radio San Antonio, una radio diferente..." Continuaron canticos hasta su salida del aire sin cierre a las 0201.

5120.4, RADIO ONDAS DEL SURORIENTE. Quillabamba. Per'. 0035-0106 Junio 09. Pgm: Sabados calientes. Anuncios de botica San Juan de Dios. M'sica tropical con ID a las 0101 "...integrando a nivel nacional e internacional, Radio Ondas del Suroriente, amplitud modulada 1400 kHz, onda corta 5070 kHz, banda de 60 metros y la gran cadena nacional; via satÈlite, 96.5 frecuencia modulada estÈreo..." (Rafael RodrÌguez R., Bogota DC - COLOMBIA, Winradio G303I, Sony ICF 2010, Antena de hilo largo 25-30 metros, Ant. tuner MFJ-956, June 12, condig list via DXLD)

** PHILIPPINES. 9581.95, Radio ng Bayan, Quezon city. June 10 at 0723-0800 in Filipino. Talk by a man and a woman. ID with music at 0748, followed by telephone interview (Iwao Nagatani, Japan, Japan Premium June 15 via DXLD)

** ROMANIA. Dear DX friends, According to Radio Romania International's website, the transmissions will now continue without any interruption to service, while work is being carried out at the Galbeni transmission center. Best Wishes (Christopher Lewis, England, DX LISTENING DIGEST) Viz.:

SUMMER FREQUENCIES Over the past few days, we've announced that RRI will use only half of our frequencies on the short waves between June 15th and July the 31st, due to upgrading works to be undertaken on the antenna system located at the Galbeni transmission centre. Meanwhile, Radiocom service operator has announced it will carry out the upgrading works without affecting the broadcasting. In this context, you can tune in to our programs on the frequencies which are already familiar to you, even after June the 15th (RRI via DXLD) So, Never mind

** SERBIA. BOSNIA (non) [sic]. Summer A-07 schedule of International Radio Serbia:

1300-1328 on	7240 English, co-ch RNW in DRM + CNR Chinese
1330-1358 on	7240 Serbian, co-ch RCI in DRM + CNR Chinese
1400-1428 on	7240 Spanish, co-ch RNW in DRM + CNR Chinese
1430-1458 on	7240 Arabic, co-ch RNW in DRM + CNR Chinese
1500-1528 on	7240 Russian, co-ch CNR Chinese
1530-1558 on	7240 French, co-ch CNR Chinese
1600-1628 on	7240 German, co-ch CNR Chinese
1630-1643 on	7240 Chinese, co-ch CNR Chinese
1645-1658 on	7240 Albanian, co-ch CNR Chinese
1700-1713 on	7240 Hungarian, co-ch CNR Chinese
1715-1728 on	7240 Greek, co-ch CNR Chinese
1730-1758 on	7240 Italian, co-ch CNR Chinese
1800-1828 on	7240 Russian, co-ch WYFR Arabic

1830-1858 on 7240 English, co-ch WYFR Arabic
1900-1928 on 7240 Spanish, co-ch WYFR English
1930-1958 on 7240 Serbian Sun-Fri, co-ch WYFR English
1930-2028 on 7240 Serbian Sat, co-ch WYFR English till 2000
2000-2028 on 7240 German Sun-Fri, co-ch CNR Chinese
2030-2058 on 7240 French, co-ch CNR Chinese
(DX Mix News, Bulgaria, June 12 via DXLD)

All to Eu, all shown as BIJeljina 250 kW / ND. What evidence do you have this is the case rather than the 10 kW mobile substitute transmitter near Stubline, Serbia??? (gh, DXLD)

Off frequency: 7239.95, International Radio Serbia, Belgrade, via Stubline mobile unit, news in Greek at 1715-1728 UT, co-channel even Tibet China program in Chinese. June 17 (Wolfgang Bschel, Germany, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** SOUTH CAROLINA [non]. Brother Scare: see U S A [and non]

** SUDAN [non]. U.K.(non) [sic] New schedule for Southern Sudan Interactive Radio Instruction, all to EAf:

0600-0630 on 15440 DHA 250 kW / 240 deg English Mon-Fri from June 4
0600-0630 on 15505 ARM 500 kW / 188 deg English Mon-Fri from June 4
0630-0700 on 11945 KIG 250 kW / 015 deg English Mon-Fri from June 4
0630-0700 on 15445 DHA 250 kW / 240 deg English Mon/Wed/Fri
1400-1430 on 15470 ARM 200 kW / 188 deg English Tue/Thu/Sat
(DX Mix News, Bulgaria, June 12 via DXLD)

** SUDAN [non]. Altho Sudan Radio Service still has no SW frequency sked on its website, <http://www.sudanradio.org/index.php> the Time Table page in UT +3 indicates there are more English broadcasts than shown in the WRTH A-07 update. Besides M-F 0300-0330 on 5985 via Kigali, and Sat/Sun 1500-1530 9840 via Moscow:

0530-0600 M-F on 15325 via UAE; 1530-1600 M-F 9840 via Moscow.

This is combining the SRS site program/language time table, with the WRTH frequency schedule, so the above needs to be confirmed. The Time Table also shows numerous additional languages not indicated by WRTH. Perhaps Eastern Hemispherians can check today Friday whether there is English at 1530 on 9840. Glenn (Glenn Hauser, OK, June 15, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Sudan Radio Service is on the air here at 1515 on 9840 in an UNKNOWN language. IDs heard. Sudan Radio Service continued after 1530 in an unknown language on 9840 kHz. SIO here is 353. Sounded like news until 1535 ending with "Sudan Radio Service". Then a lady who also gave an ID. 73, (Erik K-ie, Copenhagen, ibid.)

And continued with local language 1530 onwards, no English (Jari Savolainen, Finland, *ibid.*) Still NO English after 16 UT on 9840, but now some utility QRM. 73, (Erik Kie, *ibid.*)

9840 1500-1700 47E,48W MSK 200 190 RUS MNO

There is a continuous service according to the HFCC entry see above. No English service yet on Fri June 15th. Noted female Sudanese Arabic language like at 1500-1530 UT, then at 1530:30 UT change over to male announcer in supposed to be Swahili like language. At 1559:30 UT back to female Sudanese Arabic announcer with ID schedule, satellite channel ID and nx on Pres. Bush headline ... a repeat of 1500 UT broadcast. Signal from Moscow is only fair, S=4-5 strength in southern Germany. My location is 265 degrees from Moscow, so I get a signal side lobe only. ID, something like Radio Sabes, June 15, 1500, 1530, and 1600 UT recording piece. 73 wb (Wolfgang Bschel, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

There is also some kind of jammer-like cycling signal audible around 9840, can't tell what it actually is. After 1600 also some rtty-like data above 9840 (Jari Savolainen, Finland, *ibid.*)

Yes Jari, observed also here, but on upper flank only, centered like 9842 kHz, but supposed to be rather a dittering ute signal, hopefully ... set my E1 radio to 9839.3 kHz (4 kHz filter) to avoid the dittering signal. Program feed had a break til 1632 UT, before another Horn of Africa music started, and followed news in unknown language started, also headline of Pres. Bush and PR of Congo item.

ID in pure Arabic by female announcer at 1653 UT. 1654:40 UT - And covered by POWERFUL 500 kW transmission ID signal of TRT Emirler which scheduled 17-18 UT in Russian (Wolfgang Bschel, Germany, *ibid.*)

** TURKEY. Some lovely exotic vocal music with other-worldly reverb, on 11980, June 16 at 0441-0500, interrupted by brief announcements in Turkish. Yes, this is VOT Turkish beamed our way 310 degrees at 04-07 per HFCC (Glenn Hauser, OK, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** UGANDA. A beautiful printed full data QSL card arrived today by post for my Dunamis Shortwave 4750 report on 23 April 2007. It shows the transmitter site at Mukono, Uganda. Posted from High Adventure Gospel Communications Ministries
HAGCM
PO Box 425, Station "E"
Toronto, Ontario
Canada M6H 4E3

E-mail for reports is [dunamis4.750 @ hotmail.com](mailto:dunamis4.750@hotmail.com) Website
<http://www.biblevoice.org> Best 73, (Jari Savolainen, Kuusankoski, Finland, June 14, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST) See INDONESIA

** U K [non]. Frequency changes for BBC:

0300-0700 3255 MEY 100 kW / non-dir, ex 0300-0600 English WS to SoAf
1400-2200 3255 MEY 100 kW / non-dir, ex 1600-2200 English WS to SoAf
0430-0530 NF 3380 MEY 100 kW / 076 deg, ex 3390 M-F Portuguese to SoAf
2030-2100 NF 3380 MEY 100 kW / 076 deg, ex 3390 M-F Portuguese to SoAf
0200-0230 NF 11855 SLA 250 kW / 010 deg, ex 9680 CYP 300kW/057deg
Russian (DX Mix News, Bulgaria, June 12 via DXLD)

** U S A [and non]. Dear Mr Hauser, I am looking for information on the career and intention of Brother R. G. Stair. He is mainly very audible in England on 6110 kHz which I think is a hired frequency based in Germany. The main issue is that I cannot see how a man of his means sustains the necessary finances to broadcast on such a large scale, unless his donations are phenomenal or he possesses a personal fortune. There is a general for-and-against mystery about this person and I certainly think his versions of the chorus majesty which punctuate his programming banish completely any idea that this song is either decent music or sound theology! I do hope you can say where more is written about this character.

Secondly, do you receive a station called Reflections Europe in America? For a number of years, it has operated on unlicensed frequencies in activity that amounts to pirate radio with a Christian inspiration! I would really like to know why whoever is behind the Sunday broadcasts thinks that laws can be broken in order to effectively rebroadcast material from recognised teachers and evangelists. Oddly, the people who promote one of the more unusual programmes are firmly convinced that the station is acting legally. Can you perhaps tell me anything further about this anomalous provider? I keep hearing that its transmitters are located in Ireland, where broadcasting conventions are more easily flouted, but no one has ever commented on why Christians would become involved.

Thirdly, have you noticed surprising changes within the broadcasts of Gene Scott? Here was another man with a strange voice who used to be everywhere on the dial at different parts of the day. Now that voice has gone and a lady has replaced him talking about some kind of crisis in the religious organisation he represents. Do you know anything about why this has happened? I must admit that I do not find Scott's long monologues the most interesting thing on the air, but I do hope it is not some kind of scandal that is taking him from his audience.

Lastly, I have to say that I would welcome anything at all to remove the programmes of EWTN Global Catholic Radio from the air. For the

most part, they are a huge embarrassment to anyone who professes normative Catholicism. There is so much misconception and error involved in this station that I had almost run out of ink and stationery trying to send in corrections. I also take strong exception to this station's use of theatrical accents to read prayers and creeds and dramatise the Mass. They have no real understanding of how offensive these stagey gimmicks are to Hispanic and Italian listeners. As well as these, the network has recently decided to promote the Divine Mercy devotion using a pop song reminiscent of a pious girl group. Nothing less likely to attract people to this prayer could be imagined. Unfortunately, this station will not respond to complaints and so the daily exercise in tastelessness and cultural mistakes persists. My own view is that this network was a grand error from its inception. I suppose we have no option but to switch off, rather than endure its ridiculous version of belief longer.

I am grateful for your own patience in reading my enquiries and hope that you are able to provide some answers. I would listen to World of Radio much more, but at the moment, WWCR is not around as it used to be. Perhaps things might improve with a different receiver.

My good wishes to you all, Yours sincerely from the U.K., (Jason Redvers Latham, Beverley, 7 June 2007, fountain pen by p-mail, retyped by gh for DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Evidently he does not use the internet at all; else he could have known the answers to his questions long ago from reading DXLD. I suppose I shall have to dig out the typewriter and see if it still worx, but briefly answering here:

Stair's source of income is unknown. I suppose he may have a few major donors which account for most of it. He allegedly does pay his SW bills promptly, so stations are eager to have him on regardless of the nonsense he purveys, and go out of their way to accommodate his comings and goings, the schedule changing just about every month. He has been involved in scandals regarding mind-control and sexual impropriety with women living in his cult's compound, and was briefly gaoled a few years ago. This was covered in the local press, but it obviously was not enough to put an end to his ``ministry``.

Reflections Europe is seldom heard in NAm, being a low-power pirate apparently in Ireland. I fail to see why you assume that Christianity necessarily correlates with morality or legality.

You have missed an important event, which is exactly what the so-called University Network would like to happen. Doctor Gene Scott died a few years ago and ever since then you have been hearing his old recordings. It's entirely up to his widow and successor, Pastor

Melissa Scott whether she plays the tapes or devotes more and more of the available airtime to herself, which is what has been happening lately, altho just today June 17 I was hearing the gruff DGS himself once again. I cannot waste my time listening to either of them, but apparently income is falling off since his death, thus her entreaties.

EWTN is certainly an offshoot from mainstream RCatholicism, founded by a wacky nun who thinkx she is more Catholic than the Pope, and it's interesting to hear how at least one traditional Catholic perceives it. I cannot say I am surprised that they do not respond to criticism and correxion from mere listeners. A prime example of the 'stagey' broadcasts is ``Paz a la luz de la luna, En vivo desde Miami'', UT Tue-Sat 0400-0600 on 7455 still colliding with RTTY, and // 13615 switching to 11615 in the middle of it (Glenn Hauser, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** U S A [non]. RUSSIA. Additional transmissions of WYFR via TV Radio Waves from June 1 & 8:

1400-1500 on 12075 SAM 250 kW / 140 deg to SoAs Marathi \\ 9705DHA,
15715WER

1600-1700 on 12100 ARM 250 kW / 110 deg to WeAs Pashto or Dari(tent.)
1900-2100 on 12060 ARM 250 kW / 290 deg to WeEu French, ex 1900-2000
(DX Mix News, Bulgaria, June 12 via DXLD)

** U S A. The FCC isn't going to stop. What's happening around Austin and San Antonio is happening all around the country. The FCC will continue to allow translators to be licensed in virtually any place they can be "shoehorned" in.

When Docket 80-90 was being discussed about twenty-five years ago many broadcasters complained that allowing so many new stations would result in the "AM-ization" of the FM band. Well, it happened. But as bad as the crowding of the dial became after the FCC issued its revised table of allocations, things would only get worse with the "Great Translator Invasion." During the translator filing window in March, 2003 the FCC received more than 13,000 applications for new stations. As you know, the vast majority of those came from large religious broadcasters. With so many of the applications being "mutually exclusive" the FCC had to find ways to whittle the list down. But even if some applicants were disqualified for various reasons and others withdrew a huge backlog remained. The process of sifting through all the translator applications is still going on, despite the fact that we've seen many new stations signing on in recent months.

There's another issue here. It's about programming diversity on a local level, and the FCC dropped the ball on that one, too. Literally thousands of potential low power broadcasters (LPFM's) basically lost

the fight before it began, since many of the large religious broadcasters applied for LPFM channels. Despite what the rules say, a great number of LPFM's essentially carry no locally originated programming. It would have been good if the FCC had given priority to locally owned and locally originated LPFM's, but without anything miraculous like congressional action, that's not going to happen. (jd, San Antonio-Austin forum at radio-info.com, from <http://www.radio-info.com/smf/index.php?topic=73659.msg534443#msg534443> via Artie Bigley, DXLD)

** U S A. For your listening enjoyment, here is the latest Radio Disney Station List as of 15 JUNE 2007 directly from the FCC.

KHz [sic]	Call	City	State	Expiration Date
98.3	WRDZ-FM	PLAINFIELD	IN	8/1/2012
550	WDDZ	PAWTUCKET	RI	4/1/2014
600	WBWL	JACKSONVILLE	FL	2/1/2012
640	WWJZ	MOUNT HOLLY	NJ	6/1/2014
640	WWJZ	HORSHAM TOWNSHIP	PA	PENDING
680	WDRD	NEWBURG	KY	8/1/2012
900	WFRO	FREMONT	OH	CANCELED
910	WFDF	FARMINGTON HILLS	MI	10/1/2012
910	KWDZ	SALT LAKE CITY	UT	10/1/2013
990	WMYM	MIAMI	FL	2/1/2012
990	WDYZ	ORLANDO	FL	2/1/2012
1010	WRJR	PORTSMOUTH	VA	10/1/2011
1160	KRDY	SAN ANTONIO	TX	8/1/2013
1190	KPHN	KANSAS CITY	MO	2/1/2013
1240	KALY	LOS RANCHOS DE ALBUQUEQUE	NM	10/1/2013
1260	WSDZ	BELLEVILLE	IL	12/1/2012
1260	WMKI	BOSTON	MA	4/1/2014
1260	WWMK	CLEVELAND	OH	10/1/2012
1290	KKSL	LAKE OSWEGO	OR	CANCELED
1290	WDZY	COLONIAL HEIGHTS	VA	10/1/2011
1320	WCOG	GREENSBORO	NC	12/1/2011
1380	WWMI	ST. PETERSBURG	FL	2/1/2012
1380	KMUS	SPERRY	OK	6/1/2013
1450	WBYU	NEW ORLEANS	LA	6/1/2012
1460	WDDY	ALBANY	NY	6/1/2014
1470	KIID	SACRAMENTO	CA	12/1/2013
1480	KQAM	WICHITA	KS	6/1/2013
1480	WGFY	CHARLOTTE	NC	12/1/2011
1550	WDZK	BLOOMFIELD	CT	4/1/2014
1580	KMIK	TEMPE	AZ	10/1/2013
1590	KMIC	HOUSTON	TX	8/1/2013
1600	WMNE	RIVIERA BEACH	FL	2/1/2012
1640	KDZR	LAKE OSWEGO	OR	2/1/2006

1640	WKSH	SUSSEX	WI	12/1/2012
1650	WHKT	PORTSMOUTH	VA	10/1/2011
1690	KDDZ	ARVADA	CO	4/1/2013

(via Mike Hardester, NC, DXLD)

Can you figure out what Disney character each callsign is supposed to evoke, besides variants of the Disney name itself? Some are obvious like Mickey and Goofy. Hint: a few of the callsigns were NOT changed when Disney bought them, but they still work? Some may not be O&O by Disney, less likely to have Disney-like calls? (Glenn Hauser, DXLD)

** UZBEKISTAN. LONELY AND GETTING LONELIER
by Marina Kozlova 11 June 2007

Few independent journalists still work in Uzbekistan, one of the most repressive places to be a reporter. But how many eyes does their work reach?

TASHKENT, Uzbekistan | Aleksei Volosevich is a freelance journalist who witnessed the infamous May 2005 Andijan massacre, in which government troops opened fire on protesters in that eastern city, killing scores of people.

Six months later, he was attacked by unidentified men near his apartment in the Uzbek capital, Tashkent, and the walls outside his apartment were spray-painted with insults.

Mindful of such treatment, another Uzbek journalist, who asked not to be named, said he writes only about what he sees, no longer conducting interviews, lest he reveal himself as a reporter.

I, too, have been shadowed, by a car with no number plates, as I spoke with cotton farmers in the Jizzakh province. Many farmers walked away, wary of being seen with a journalist.

In this Central Asian country, independent journalists run a real risk of being jailed or beaten in a wave of repression that began on the streets in Andijan and has never let up. At the very least reporters, and those who cooperate with them, can be spied on or harassed. Few independent journalists remain, and as a result, the world — and Uzbeks — get precious little real news about Uzbekistan.

The few who stay continue to look for ways to tell their stories, against great odds. . . [more]

<http://www.tol.cz/look/TOL/article.tpl?IdLanguage=1&IdPublication=4&NrIssue=221&NrSection=3&NrArticle=18766>
(Transitions Online via DXLD)

** VENEZUELA. 4939.6, RADIO AMAZONAS. Puerto Ayacucho. 2228-2330*
Junio 10. Promos de los programas: Al grano, y, Agenda legislativa.
"...Radio Amazonas, poder popular; 6 y 30 minutos..." ID: "...Radio
Amazonas Internacional 1130 AM, seÒal internacional 4940 kHz onda
corta transmitiendo desde Puerto ayacucho para Amazonas, Venezuela y
el mundo --- poder popular..." Volviendo a su frecuencia habitual
luego de ser notada con seÒal distorsionada en los 5125v kHz, pero
saliendo del aire muy temprano hacia las 2330 (Rafael Rodríguez R.,
Bogota DC - COLOMBIA, Winradio G303I, Sony ICF 2010, Antena de hilo
largo 25-30 metros, Ant. tuner MFJ-956, June 12, config list via DXLD)

4939.66, Radio Amazonas? Pto Ayacucho, 0915-0933, June 15, Tentative
with Spanish talk, LA music. Strong carrier but very weak modulation.
Too weak to catch any ID. Also heard at 0105-0120 on June 16 (Brian
Alexander, PA, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

4939.82, presumed R. Amazonas, 0019-0037, June 14, Spanish. OM with
talk, each time preceded by snippet of "Godfather" theme, between
musical selections. Several presumed ID's but all at reduced audio
level compared to rest of broadcast. Poor/fair (Scott R. Barbour, Jr.,
Intervale, NH, R8, R75, MLB-1, 200' Beverages, dxldyg via DX LISTENING
DIGEST)

** VENEZUELA [non]. On 6-11 I heard RN de Venezuela via Cuba on 13680
in English at 2330, IDing as the International Channel of Radio
Nacional de Venezuela. Some news about the OAS and sports and then
back to Spanish (Sheryl Paszkiewicz, WI, Radio is TV with imagination
WORLD OF RADIO 1363, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Today I received a care package from Radio Nacional de Venezuela,
after 391 days. What makes this one unusual is that it arrived via
FedEx, rather than the postal service. I think they may value me as a
listener, as the receipt inside converted to \$40.30 USD or \$43.05 CAD,
which is considerably more than by airmail. They may be hoping I will
read their literature (all in Spanish, and unavailable in the US
at any price) with titles like Empresas de Producción Social, La
Pobreza de Venezuela, and Obras del Gobierno Bolivariano.

The FedEx package originated in Caracas, Venezuela. I heard RNV via
Cuba on 13680 during the East Coast evening hours, all in Spanish
(good practice!). I wrote to Final las Marias, Entre Chapellin y
Country Club, La Florida, Caracas 1050. One wonders why they don't
target the US with English for Bolivarian programming, the way Cuba
does with its programs, unless they see the US as a large Spanish-
speaking area. This literature will keep me busy for a while. The oil
bucks may be coming from this area. Watch the next Red Sox game. The
Citgo sign in Kenmore Square is considered by many to be a local
landmark (Dan Malloy (now being watched for subversive radio

activities :-)), June 15, 0DXA yg via DXLD) See also MEXICO

** VIETNAM [non]. 15650, Que Huong R., Jun 07 *1200-1214, 45444-44444, Vietnamese, 1200 sign on with opening music, ID, Opening announce, Talk, (ex: 15680 kHz), Thanks for tip from Aguru via Kageyama BBS,

15650, Que Huong R., Jun 09 *1200-1205, 35322, Vietnamese, 1200 sign on with opening music, ID, Opening announce, Talk (Kouji Hashimoto, Japan, Japan Premium June 15 via DXLD)

** WESTERN SAHARA [non]. Presentado el primer diccionario espaÑol-hassania (dialecto del S-hara)

Cultura > Literatura - 07/02/2007 10:13 | Fuente: EFE

El traductor granadino JosÈ Aguilera presentÛ hoy en M-laga (sur de EspaÑa) el primer diccionario espaÑol-rabe hasanía, el dialecto que se habla en el sur de Marruecos. Palabras como "hurria" (independencia), "tam-ma" (perseverancia), "talab" (reivindicaciÛn) o "helem" (sueÑo) suenan con fuerza entre las 7.000 entradas que conforman este manual editado por el Centro de Ediciones de la DiputaciÛn de M-laga (CEDMA) en colaboraciÛn con la Universidad malagueÑa (UMA). . . <http://www.webislam.com/?idt=6832> (via JosÈ Miguel Romero, DXLD)

ARGELIA, 6300, Radio Nacional Saharaui, 1800-1815, escuchada el 16 de junio en Hassanía, dialecto rabe hablado por el pueblo saharaui, comienza el locutor con saludo iSalam Alikumî e identificaciÛn, canto del Cor`n, emisiÛn de m-sica folklÛrica local, SINPO 44343 73 (JosÈ Miguel Romero, Burjasot (Valencia), EspaÑa, Sangean ATS 909, Radio Master A-108, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

** ZANZIBAR. Voice of Tanzania Zanzibar on 11735 noted on June 14 with news in English from Spice FM at 2000 UT which apparently is a new time (Christer Brunström, Sweden via Thomas Nilsson, DX LISTENING DIGEST) ex-1800; reconfirmation?

** ZIMBABWE. Voice of Zimbabwe? 5975 heard with test music. No station announcements. So much for the comments that the test would be: quote 'fine tuning programming and receiving feedback from listeners from all over the world'. Radio Zimbabwe, 6045 heard daytime with programming relay of the national FM network (David Pringle-Wood Zimbabwe, 1146 UT June 16, dxldyg via DX LISTENING DIGEST)

UNIDENTIFIED. Glenn, noted a Spanish number station, by smooth female voice (no number machine voice kind), on 17478.00 kHz, June 17, observed around 1610 to 1635 UT, but could be on air much earlier and later, it was boring to listen all these numbers over and over. Signal level here in Europe only S=1-2. Had a short break of 5 seconds,

around 1615:55-1616 UT, and also 1628:55 to 1629 UT (Wolfgang B, schel, Germany, DX LISTENING DIGEST) WB previously reported it in 7-047, and we had it on 17477 in 7-030, follow-up in 7-033 (gh)

UNSOLICITED TESTIMONIALS

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Hope this helps (David R Cole, Goodwell OK, with a check to Glenn Hauser, P O Box 1684, Enid OK 73702) It certainly does! (gh)

CONVENTIONS & CONFERENCES

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DATE AND PLACE SET FOR INFORMAL NORTHEAST SUMMER DX GTG

Mark your calendars...SATURDAY, JULY 28 is the one date we've found that will work for an exceedingly informal gathering of DXers in the northeast, inspired by the wildly successful Madison-Milwaukee GTG.

In lieu of any organized eastern convention this year, Jim Renfrew has kindly offered up his new spread in Clarendon, New York, about 20 miles west of Rochester and 15 minutes north of NY Thruway (I-90) exit 47, for DXers to get together for a day of conversation, recreation and maybe even some DX.

There's absolutely no agenda - just show up, bring a radio or a TV if you'd like (Jim will have his receivers and antennas fired up, and I'll bring out mine as well), pack a bathing suit if you fancy a dip in the creek or the hot tub, and at the end of the day maybe we'll all go out for some dinner somewhere.

There are several inexpensive hotels in Brockport, about 5 minutes away from Jim's place, as well as in Batavia, about 20 minutes to the south. No organized discount rates or anything like that; if you need a hotel room, contact one of us and we'll point you in the right direction.

No organized station tours, though if enough people were interested in seeing WXXI, I'm sure something could be arranged. No scheduled presentations, but if Rich Wertman wants to bring some stuff to sell, I'm sure there will be ready buyers.

There's nothing organized for Friday or Sunday, either, for those arriving early or leaving late. The Rochester Red Wings (AAA affiliate of the Twins) and the Batavia Muckdogs (single-A affiliate of the Cards) are both at home Friday night, and the Muckdogs are home Sunday

afternoon as well, for any who are interested.

RSVPs would be nice, and I'm sure Jim would appreciate a few bucks toward the cost of refreshments, or bring along some refreshments to share, if you'd like.

Spouses and families are welcome. Check with Jim about dogs and horses and such. Please feel free to share this notice among other DXers --- the more, the merrier! 73 and Good DX from your Northeast Unconvention Disorganizing Non-Committee,

Scott Fybush
Jim Renfrew
Jerry Bond
Greg Coniglio
Rick Lucas
George Greene (honorary) (Scott Fybush, June 13, NRC-AM via DXLD)

PUBLICATIONS

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HISTORIAS DE RADIO

Estimados amigos: Tengo el honor de presentarles el nuevo programa "Historias de Radio", un nuevo aporte para los diexistas de nuestro amigo Daniel Camporini. Les adjunto sus comentarios sobre el programa y la finalizaciÛn de Monitor DX.

‘Cuando JosÈ Elìas Díaz me convenciÛ de volver a producir el programa "Monitor DX" en realidad no tenia plenamente determinado cu.1 iba a ser su formato. Cuando este programa se emitìa a travÈs de Radio Transmundial en Bonaire, su contenido era mucho m.s informativo, esto debido a que yo realmente estaba mucho m.s activo en el DX y en el volcaba mis datos y los que recogìa de numerosos boletines diexistas que recibìa mensualmente. Hoy ya estoy semi retirado de la escucha, asÌ que decidì que mi aporte podrìa ser de mayor utilidad a los oyentes si les hablaba sobre el voluminoso archivo que he almacenado en estos casi 40 aÒos de estar relacionado con la radio.

AsÌ que el nombre de "Monitor DX" para mi programa guardaba ahora poca relaciÛn con su contenido y decidì que habìa llegado la hora de cambiar. No fue f.cil para mi hacer desaparecer el programa; me encariÒE mucho con este nombre, pero pienso que ahora "Monitor DX" se ve repotenciado en esta nueva aventura radial que emprendo. Espero que asÌ como acompañaron a Monitor DX acompañen tambiÈn a "Historias de Radio", un nombre que no es nuevo para mì pues ya lo empleaba cuando producìa un programa similar en Radio Armonìa AM 1600.

Amigos, les doy la bienvenida a "Historias de Radio", un programa que pretende ser un puente entre el pasado y el presente de la radio. Gracias a mi hermano José Elías Díaz Gómez por su apoyo y permanente colaboración con el aporte de toda su profesionalidad.'

Este primer programa está dedicado a "La historia de la Onda Corta en Francia". Estará disponible en su página a partir del sábado 16 de junio 2007. **** Que lo disfruten !!!!

Esta es su dirección:

http://es.geocities.com/programas_dx/historiasderadio.htm

Cordiales 73 (José Bueno, Córdoba, España,
<http://es.geocities.com/programasdx/> config list via DXLD)

I suppose WRMI may also be carrying it like Monitor DX. Is it also a quarter-hour show? (gh, DXLD)

DIGITAL BROADCASTING DRM: see NETHERLANDS; SERBIA

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RADIO EQUIPMENT FORUM

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PURCHASE RADIO SUPPLY, Legendary Store Closes.
<http://newsvc.cq-amateur-radio.com/main.cfm?show=1>

Michigan Ham Store Closes, Posted: Feb 22, 2007

Purchase Radio Supply, which has served the ham radio community in Ann Arbor, Michigan, since 1930, closed its doors in mid-February. According to the Ann Arbor News, store owner Ola Jeanne Purchase McCollough and her husband, Dan McCollough, decided it was time to retire and move closer to their children and grandchildren in Minnesota. "I would have liked to find someone to take over and run the business, but it's hard to find someone who's willing to be here six days a week," Dan McCollough told the newspaper, adding, "That's what it takes to run a small business." Employee John Ransom also cited stiff competition from internet-based and mail-order businesses that can sell for less and deliver overnight (From the CQ News Service via Bill Lauterbach, MI, DXLD)

Glenn: I know this news article is a little old, but many are unaware of the closure of this legendary store. My father, ex-WN8MRG and I bought our first antenna supplies from this establishment back in 1968. And if I could add a piece of hearsay regarding the article, Dan McCollough told me personally that he had a pretty nice offer from a private company for the purchase of his store and property. It turns

out this "private company" is going around this neighborhood and buying up all of the small properties, tearing them down and then laying down asphalt.

We later found out that the University of Michigan needed more parking facilities for their football stadium, which is a stone's throw away from the former Purchase Radio Supply. What a shame.

I should add that Purchase Radio Supply didn't just sell amateur radio supplies. They carried anything and everything that dealt with all aspects of the radio and electronics hobby. Not only did I buy new and used ham, shortwave and medium wave products from 1968 to 2007, but my last purchase in January was a stereo amplifier kit that now drives my Sirius Satellite Radio for two huge KLH speakers. Glad to hear you're on Sirius. We'll have to "tune" you in and crank up the audio! 73,
(Bill Lauterbach - WA8MEA, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

PROPAGATION

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ASIA TO FLORIDA ON MW

Glenn: -- "As discussed before, Thailand and other east Asians are really trans-polar from FL, not DU/trans-Pacific or trans-equatorial, and thus, QRM permitting, should be even more audible further north -- - unless they are coming long-path from the south..."

Would this not have to be from the South, since the North Pole is bathed in 24 hour daylight this time of year?? Just a thought... (GREG HARDISON, CA, DX LISTENING DIGEST)

Geomagnetic field activity was at quiet to unsettled levels during most of the period, though brief active intervals were observed at middle and high latitudes on 04 June and 09 - 10 June, respectively. ACE data indicated increased velocities on 04 June along with increased IMF variability. Velocities reached a peak of 576 km/sec at 04/1246 UTC while IMF total field intensity peaked at 04/1146 UTC (peak 9 nT) and IMF Bz decreased to a minimum of -5 nT at 04/1405 UTC. ACE data also indicated a solar sector boundary change (away (+) to toward (-)) occurred on 08 June associated with a minor increase in wind velocities (peak 463 km/sec at 09/2312 UTC), a brief increase in proton densities (peak 23 p/cc at 08/0037 UTC); increased IMF total field intensity (peak 10 nT at 09/0518 UTC), and periods of southward IMF Bz (minimum of - 7 nT at 09/0834 UTC).

FORECAST OF SOLAR AND GEOMAGNETIC ACTIVITY 13 JUNE - 09 JULY 2007

Solar activity is expected to be at very low to low levels. C-class

flares are expected during 13 - 14 June and 28 June ñ 09 July. No proton events are expected at geosynchronous orbit. The greater than 2 MeV electron flux at geosynchronous orbit is expected to reach high levels during 17 June and 20 June - 05 July. Quiet to active conditions are expected during 14 - 15 June as a recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream affects the field. Quiet to unsettled conditions are expected during 15 - 18 June. Activity is expected to increase to unsettled to minor storm levels during 19 - 22 June with major storm levels possible on 19 June due to a recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream. Activity is expected to decrease to mostly quiet levels during 23 - 29 June. Quiet to active conditions are expected during 30 June - 01 July as another recurrent coronal hole high-speed stream affects the field. Mostly quiet levels are expected for the remainder of the period.

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